

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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EUNUCHS IN RESERVED COMPARTMENTS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that eunuchs are freely entering in the reserved compartments and harassing the passengers by demanding money in almost all express/mail trains thus threatening the security of the passengers; and

(b) if so, the facts thereof and corrective measures taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a) & (b): Some instances of eunuchs entering the reserved compartments have come to notice. Regular drives are conducted by ticket checking staff against the menace of unauthorized persons, including eunuchs, in trains in association with Railway Protection Force and Government Railway Police so that passengers are not inconvenienced.